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ABBREVIATIONS

AASOR	Annual of the American Schools of Oriental Research
ADAJ	Annual of the Department of Antiquities of Jordan
AJA	American Journal of Archaeology
AfO	Archiv für Orientforschung
ANET	Ancient Near Eastern Texts Relating to the Old Testament, ed. by J. B. Pritchard, Princeton, 1969
'Atiqot	'Atiqot, Journal of the Israel Department of Antiquities
BA	The Biblical Archaeologist
BASOR	Bulletin of the American Schools of Oriental Research
BIES	Bulletin of the Israel Exploration Society, continuing:
BJPES	Bulletin of the Jewish Palestine Exploration Society
CAD	Chicago Assyrian Dictionary
CIS	Corpus Inscriptionum Semiticarum
CRAI	Comptes-rendus des Séances de l'Académie des Inscriptions et Belles-Lettres
EI	Eretz-Israel: Archaeological, Historical and Geographical Studies, published by the Israel Exploration Society
Enc. Miqr.	Encyclopaedia Miqra'it (Biblical Encyclopaedia; Hebrew)
IEJ	Israel Exploration Journal
JAOS	Journal of the American Oriental Society
JBL	Journal of Biblical Literature
JCS	Journal of Cuneiform Studies
JEA	Journal of Egyptian Archaeology
JNES	Journal of Near Eastern Studies
JPOS	Journal of the Palestine Oriental Society
PEFA	Palestine Exploration Fund Annual
PEQ	Palestine Exploration Quarterly, continuing:
PEFQSt	Quarterly Statement of the Palestine Exploration Fund
PJb	Palästinajahrbuch des Deutschen evangelischen Instituts für Altertumswissenschaft des Heiligen Landes zu Jerusalem
PWRE	Pauly-Wissowa's Realencyclopädie der Altertumswissenschaft
QDAP	Quarterly of the Department of Antiquities in Palestine
RA	Revue d'Assyriologie et d'Archéologie
RB	Revue Biblique
VT	Vetus Testamentum
Yediot	Continuation of *BIES* (1962–68)
ZDPV	Zeitschrift des Deutschen Palästina-Vereins
MT	Massoretic Text of the Old Testament

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